

MINUTES OF THE CITY OF BURLINGTON  
CITY COUNCIL COMMUNITY MEETING  
September 2, 2010

The City Council of the City of Burlington held a Community Meeting at Elmira Community Center, 810 Wicker Street, Burlington, North Carolina, 27215, on September 2, 2010, at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Ronnie K. Wall presided

Councilmembers Present: Mayor Wall, Councilmembers Huffman, Butler, Ross and Faucette

Councilmembers absent: None

Harold Owen, City Manager: Present

Citizens: 15

Mayor Wall opened the meeting with approximately 15 citizens in attendance. He introduced members of the City Council in attendance: Mayor Pro Tem David Huffman, Councilman Jim Butler, Councilman Steve Ross and Councilman Celo Faucette. Mayor Wall also recognized City Manager Harold Owen. The Mayor welcomed citizens in attendance and asked that they speak on any issues that they wished to discuss.

Several residents voiced a complaint about the condition of a home located at 424 Logan Street. Concerns were expressed about the condition of the yard, number of cars, junk and the general appearance of the house. Council responded that the house had been sighted by the CBC program and a second action was now being undertaken by staff. Pictures of the property were reviewed by Councilmembers.

Additional concerns were voiced about another home on Logan Street with no address given and a residence at the corner of Tate and Wood Streets selling heating wood. It was noted that there was a large pile of wood located beside this property which was more than needed to heat a single home. Residents also mentioned the high grass and trash in the yard at a home on the corner of Durham and Elmira Streets and at another property with no address on Lakeside Avenue.

Concerns were also noted about the condition of properties at Family Video on North Church Street, the former Domino's Pizza location and the condition of the property on the corner of North Church Street and Graham-Hopedale Road. Question was also voiced about the ability to have yard sales on certain properties on a daily basis.

Councilmembers responded that they were aware of issues similar to what was being discussed at the meeting. They mentioned to citizens the City's CBC program and distributed information on that program. Councilmembers noted that they would be considering the feasibility of implementing ordinances that would address many of the issues that had been discussed at the meeting.

Mayor Wall and Councilmembers thanked the citizens for attending the meeting and expressing their concerns.

The meeting was adjourned.

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Jondeen D. Terry  
City Clerk